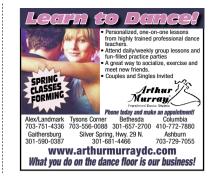
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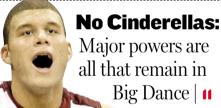
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### **Leopards' Births a Coup for Zoo**

RARE SIGHT: One of the two newborn Clouded Leopard cubs at the National Zoo's Conservation and Research Center in Front Royal, Va., is held Tuesday. Due to the species' tendency to immediately kill its young in captivity, the discovery of the two living cubs was hailed as a coup by zoo officials, who moved them to an incubator for safety. They are the first such births in 16 years at the zoo.

## U.S. Adds To Border Security

White House steps up fight against Mexican drug cartels

WASHINGTON | The U.S. is sending more money, technology and manpower to help Mexico fight drug cartels and keep violence from spilling across the southwestern border, Obama administration officials said Tuesday.

Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton

plans to travel to Mexico on Wednesday for the start of several weeks of high-level meetings between the two countries on the drug violence issue. Homeland Security Secretary Janet Napolitano and Attorney General Eric Holder are



Napolitano

expected to meet with Mexican officials in early April.

Violent turf battles among the cartels have wreaked havoc in Mexico in recent years and led to a spate of kidnappings and home invasions in some U.S. cities.

The Obama administration's multi-agency plan includes nearly 500 agents and support personnel. However, officials did not say where the additional agents would come from or how long they would stay at the border.

Napolitano said officials were still considering whether to deploy the National Guard to the Arizona and Texas borders with Mexico, which the governors had requested. Deputy Attorney General David Ogden said the combined efforts of the U.S. and Mexican governments would "destroy these criminal organizations." (AP)



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#### HEROICS

A parrot alerted his owner about a baby who was choking and is now recognized as a hero by the Red Cross. Willie received an award Friday for his actions in November. when he and owner Megan Howard were baby-sitting a toddler. Willie repeatedly yelled "Mama, baby" when Howard went to the bathroom and the toddler started to choke on her breakfast. Howard saved the baby by performing the Heimlich maneuver, but she said Willie "is the real hero." (AP)



BULL'S-EYE

### **Turns Out Church** Is Not a Sanctuary

A pastor and parishioner have been cited by police for shooting an arrow during a church service. The pastor asked to have the arrow shot across the front of the church during a recent

service at Pentecostals of Sheboygan County, Wis., as a "teaching tool." As the parishioner prepared to shoot the arrow, one man stood up and objected. The pastor asked him to leave. He did and called police. The parishioner was cited for using a missile indoors, and the pastor was cited for aiding and abetting. Both were fined \$109. (AP)



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### A Second Helping

French chef Alain Ducasse, right, poses next to a wax model of himself that was unveiled Monday in Paris. The statue holds his signature dish, "cocotte des legumes." His mentor, chef Paul Bocuse, "stands" nearby in the Grevin Museum, which houses more than 300 waxworks of noted people including Mahatma Gandhi and Albert Einstein, Ducasse is having a big week. He received a live imitation of himself when his wife, Gwenaelle, gave birth to their son, Arzhel. (AP)

**BAD SMELLS** 

### School Bus Fumes

An eighth-grader was suspended from riding the school bus for three days after being accused of passing

gas. The bus driver wrote on a misbehavior form that a 15-year-old teen had been passing gas on the bus Monday to make the other children laugh, creating a stench so bad that it was difficult to breathe. The bus driver handed the

teen the suspension form the next day. Polk County, Fla., school officials said there's no rule against flatulence, but there are rules against causing a disturbance on the bus. The teen said he wasn't the one passing gas. (AP)



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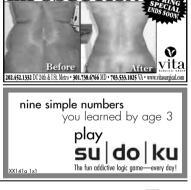
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**POINTLESS:** A judge has ruled that a northeastern Pennsylvania businessman with a felony conviction can remain on the May 19 primary ballot. Bob Bolus is running as a Republican for mayor of Scranton, Pa., even though he cannot serve if elected.

### **Nation**

### President: Let's Move Beyond AIG

In prime-time press conference, Obama tries to sell his budget

WASHINGTON | President Obama looked to steer the nation's economic attention to the bigger picture Tuesday night and away from recent days' micro-focus on out-



Obama

rage over executive bonuses, declaring signs of progress as his administration attacks the crisis "on all fronts."

"It's a strategy to create jobs,

to help responsible homeowners, to restart lending and to grow our economy over the long term," Obama said in remarks released in advance of his news conference.

The president took particular care to defend the \$3.6 trillion budget proposal that includes his ambitious, all-at-once agenda of increased health care coverage, higher education spending and a new "cap-and-trade" system on greenhouse gases emissions. The blueprint starts its journey through Congress this week.

"This budget is inseparable from this recovery because it is what lays the foundation for a secure and lasting prosperity," Obama said. (AP)

to the next level.

### **Insurers Change Tune on Premiums**

Industry offers to stop charging sick people more for their coverage

WASHINGTON | The health insurance industry offered Tuesday for the first time to curb its controversial practice of charging higher premiums to people with a history of medical problems.

The offer from America's Health Insurance Plans and the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association is a potentially significant shift in the debate over reforming the nation's health care system to rein in costs and cover an estimated 48 million uninsured people. It was contained in a letter to key senators.

In the letter, the two insurance industry groups said their members are willing to "phase out the practice of varying premiums based on health status in the individual market" if all Americans are required to get coverage. Although the letter left open some loopholes, it was still seen as a major development.

Insurers are trying to head off

The offer is a potentially significant shift in the health care reform debate.

the creation of a government insurance plan that would compete with them, something that liberals and many Democrats are pressing for. To try to win political support, the industry has already made a number of concessions. Last year, for example, insurers offered to end the practice of denying coverage to sick people.

The latest offer goes beyond that.

Insurance companies now charge very high premiums to people who are trying to purchase coverage as individuals and have a history of medical problems. Even if such a person is offered coverage, that person is often unable to afford the high premiums. (AP)

#### FARGO, N.D. | RACE AGAINST TIME



**ALL-DAY PASS**: Kasey Karlstad of Maryville, N.D., left, and Tanner Linstad of Fordville, N.D., pass sandbags to pile around a house Tuesday. Hundreds are racing to fill 2 million sandbags in hopes of shielding Fargo from the Red River, which has swollen due to heavy winter snows and an early freeze last fall that locked in moisture. The river is expected to crest Friday.

### Source: Copycat Anthrax Letters Mailed to Capitol

WASHINGTON | Federal authorities are investigating a documentary film crew that allegedly sent letters to Congress mimicking the anthrax mailings weeks after the Sept. 11 attacks.

An official said the investigation started late last week and that the letters were written to look exactly like the ones that were sent to Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt. and then-Sen. Tom Daschle in 2001. The official said the copycat letters did not contain white powder. He spoke on condition of anonymity because the case is under investigation. Authorities did not identify the film crew, and it was not immediately clear whether they would face charges. (AP)



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BACK IN TIME: An 1848 photograph of a Manhattan house, thought to be one of the earliest pictures of New York City, may fetch up to \$70,000 at auction next week.

### 2 Dead After Boat Sinks

### Coast Guard searches for survivors in frigid Atlantic Ocean off N.J.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. | A fishing boat sank in rough seas off New Jersey on Tuesday morning, killing two people and leaving four missing in the icy ocean as relatives gathered at the water's edge to pray for their safe return.

The Lady Mary, a 71-foot scallop boat based at Cape May in southern New Jersey and owned by a North Carolina man, sank at about 5 a.m. with seven people aboard about 75 miles off the coast.

Only one crew member was conscious and alert when he was plucked with two others from the water by a helicopter. Two helicopters, an airplane and two boats



Coast Guard helicopters were scouring the Atlantic Ocean for survivors.

swept a 225-square-mile area of the Atlantic Ocean for the remaining people.

All seven crew members were wearing cold-water survival suits, the Coast Guard said, but it was not clear how long they could hold out in the 40-degree water, with the air temperature at 33 degrees.

At the dock where the Lady Mary was based, about two dozen relatives and friends of the fishermen held hands and prayed. "God, we pray for a miracle," said Marcia Janifer, whose sister is engaged to Roy Smith Jr., one of the missing men.

An hour after receiving a transmission at 7:30 a.m. from an emergency radio beacon, a Coast Guard helicopter found three crew members in the water near an empty life raft bobbing in the ocean. They were taken to a hospital, where one was pronounced dead and a second died shortly afterward, Petty Officer Mark Jones said.

The third rescued crew member, Louis Jose Arieas, was able to tell authorities that all seven members of the crew donned lifesaving suits "and abandoned ship."

WAYNE PARRY (AP)



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**Nation** 

### **High Court Takes Up 'Hillary' Movie**

### Decision in case could have huge impact on campaign finance law

WASHINGTON | The Supreme Court on Tuesday questioned whether government regulation of a movie critical of former presidential candidate Hillary Rodham Clinton might also be used to ban books critical of political hopefuls during election season.

One justice warned that the future of U.S. campaign finance law could ride on their decision about whether the anti-Clinton movie was journalism or a political attack ad.

Government lawyers argued that the conservative group Citizens United's 90-minute documentary "Hillary: The Movie" is a political



The Supreme Court must decide whether a movie made about then-presidential candidate Hillary Rodham Clinton was journalism or a political attack advertisement.

ad just like traditional TV spots and, therefore, is regulated by the nation's campaign finance laws.

Arguing that a movie and a cam-

paign ad are the same could have adverse consequences for the McCain-Feingold law, Justice Anthony Kennedy said. "If we think that the

application of this to a 90-minute film is unconstitutional, then the whole statute should fall," Kennedy said.

Citizens United wanted to pay for its documentary "Hillary: The Movie" to be shown on home videoon-demand, and for ads promoting the movie to be shown in key states while the former New York senator was competing with President Obama for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Federal judges, however, said the movie should be regulated like a TV ad.

Only one justice, Stephen Brever, acknowledged actually watching the movie and his reaction: It's "not a musical comedy," he said.

The justices are expected to make a decision before early summer. (AP)

### **Specter Says** He Will Oppose **Union Measure**

WASHINGTON | In a setback for organized labor, Pennsylvania Sen. Arlen Specter said Tuesday he will



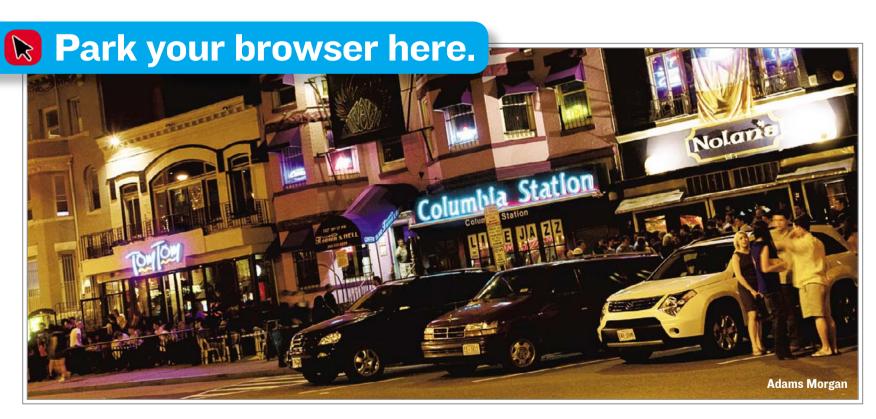
Specter

makes it easier for workers to form unions Specter was

the only Republican to support the **Employee Free** Choice Act two

years ago, and unions were hoping he might be the crucial 60th vote needed to overcome an expected GOP filibuster of the measure.

The bill would allow a majority of workers at a company to organize by signing cards, a change from current practice that lets employers mandate secret ballot elections. (AP)



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### World



**HAPPY THOUGHTS:** Britain's foreign secretary says the country's diplomats abroad should avoid appearing too gloomy or stoic about the global economy. David Miliband says ambassadors should not allow the financial crisis to be presented as a "myth of national decline."

### Afghan TV Manager Is Arrested

Man refused to censor images of women in short skirts, dancing

KABUL | The manager of an Afghan television network who refused to censor images of women dancing in short skirts and plunging necklines was arrested in what appeared to be a new sign of the government's struggle to define the role of Islam in the country.

The government has previously censured television stations and taken others to court, but the arrest of Emrose TV's Fahim Khodamani on Monday was the first for airing overly salacious content, the Afghan deputy attorney general said.

The debate over television in this conservative Muslim country heated up after U.S.-led forces toppled the Taliban in 2001. Aggressive Afghan government attempts to censor TV programs could be part of a strategy to temper conflict with the Taliban. Or it could be an attempt to siphon support from Afghans drawn to the Taliban's conservative style of Islam. (AP)

## Afghan TV Israel Coalition Gains Centrist Tone

Labor delegates agree to enter Netanyahu's incoming government

JERUSALEM | Israel's Labor Party voted Tuesday to join the incoming government of Benjamin Netanyahu, giving a centrist tone to the coalition that has looked hard-line up to now.

Party secretary Eitan Cabel announced the results of the vote after a heated debate — 680 in favor

and 507 against.

"I'm happy that party delegates have decided to enter the government," Ofer Eini, head of the Histadrut labor union and a Labor Party operative, told Israel's Army Radio.

But others chanted "Disgrace" after the announcement.

Netanyahu has signed coalition agreements with Yisrael Beitenu and Shas, two parties known for their tough policy lines toward the Palestinians, as is Netanyahu's own Likud Party. Labor, in contrast, has



Netanyahu

in the parliament would give Netanyahu a majority of 66 in the 120-seat

been in the fore-

front of Mideast

Labor's 13 seats

peace efforts.

house. But there is a possibility that the party could split as a result of the vote.

Labor's vote was the first indication of a possible softening of the future government's platform, and it also opens prospects for the more moderate Kadima Party, led by current Foreign Minister Tzipi Livni, to agree to join the government.

Prime Minister-designate Benjamin Netanyahu reached a preliminary deal Tuesday with Labor's leader, Defense Minister Ehud Barak.

"I won't be anyone's fig leaf or anyone's third wheel," Barak said ahead of the vote. "We will be the counterweight that will guarantee that we won't have a narrow rightwing government." MARK LAVIE (AP)

### KESWICK, UNITED KINGDOM | LIQUID COURAGE



**DON'T LOOK DOWN:** Keswick Mountain Festival volunteer Tara Vallente walks on water inside an inflatable sphere Tuesday. This adventure is one of hundreds of activities that'll be available to the public during the festival, which starts May 13.

### Syria: We'll Wait And See on U.S.

BEIRUT | Syria's president says it's still too early to judge the Obama administration's Mideast policies but noted there is a change in the American tone toward Damascus.

President Bashar Assad says Washington is in the process of working out the new administration's stance on Mideast issues and that "therefore, we have to wait before passing judgment." Assad made the remarks in an interview with Lebanon's As-Safir newspaper. Excerpts of the interview were made available to The Associated Press. (AP)

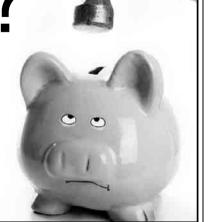
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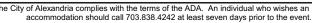
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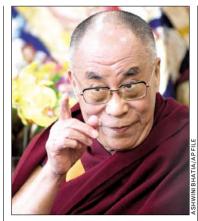
### S. Africa Won't Grant Visa

### The Dalai Lama will be kept out of country until after World Cup

JOHANNESBURG | The South African government said Tuesday that the Dalai Lama is not welcome until after the 2010 football World Cup, for fear tensions over Tibet would overshadow all other issues at a time when South Africa wants to focus on hosting the international sporting event.

Organizers said earlier that a peace conference scheduled in Johannesburg on Friday has been indefinitely postponed because the government had barred attendance by the Tibetan leader, who has clashed with China.

Tibet's government-in-exile said South Africa was acting under pres-



South Africa denies it is under pressure from China to keep out the Dalai Lama.

sure from China, but South Africa's government denied it.

When asked by reporters whether the Tibetan Nobel peace laureate would be issued a visa before the World Cup, Thabo Masebe, spokes-

man for President Kgalema Motlanthe, said: "No, we won't." He said he did not want a visit to be a distraction at a time when South Africa was hoping to showcase its transformation from pariah state to international role model.

Masebe on Monday said South Africa would not allow the Dalai Lama to visit the country for the peace conference, citing South Africa's ties to China. Fellow Nobel peace laureate Archbishop Desmond Tutu, and members of the Nobel Committee, pulled out of the conference in response.

Friday's conference had been meant to highlight ways football can promote peace, and all Nobel peace laureates had been invited, along with world statesmen and Hollywood celebrities.



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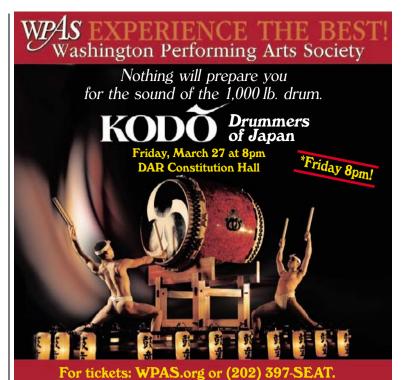
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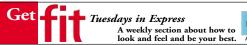
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This September 1971 photo shows the detonation of a nuclear bomb in French Polynesia. France is offering to pay people who suffered illnesses because of the tests.

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### France May Pay Nuke Test Victims

### Government bows to decades of pressure on compensation issue

PARIS | The French government offered for the first time Tuesday to compensate victims of nuclear tests in Algeria and the South Pacific, bowing to decades of pressure by people sickened by radiation — and seeking to soothe France's conscience.

"It's time for our country to be at peace with itself, at peace thanks to a system of compensation and reparations," French Defense Minister Herve Morin said in presenting a draft law on the payouts.

Victims cautiously welcomed the move, nearly 50 years after France conducted its first atomic tests. But they say it's still too stingy and is only a first step toward healing wounds left by explosions that sent blinding flashes over French Polynesia and the Sahara Desert.

The French government will set

It's time for our country to be at peace with itself."

HERVE MORIN, FRENCH DEFENSE MINISTER

aside about \$13.5 million for the compensation for the first year, Morin said. The U.S. government, by comparison, has approved more than \$1.38 billion in compensation to victims of nuclear tests since the enactment of the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act in 1990.

About 150,000 people, including civilian and military personnel, were on-site for the 210 tests France carried out in the Sahara Desert and the South Pacific from 1960 to 1996.

Morin said anyone with health problems who resided near the test sites would be eligible to seek payouts. Angela Charlton (AP)

### Man Survived 2 A-Bombs in Japan

TOKYO | A 93-year-old Japanese man has become the first person certified as a survivor of both U.S. atomic bombings at the end of World War II, officials said Tuesday.

Tsutomu Yamaguchi had already been a certified "hibakusha," or radiation survivor, of the Aug. 9, 1945, atomic bombing in Nagasaki but has now been confirmed as surviving the attack on Hiroshima three days earlier, too, officials said.

The atomic bomb attacks killed about 140,000 people in Hiroshima and 70,000 in Nagasaki. (AP)



READY TO GO: A report from the Maryland Department of Education says 73 percent of kindergartners were fully prepared to go to school. The study measures students on social and personal readiness, language and literacy ability, mathematics skills, and scientific thinking among other things.

### Local

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### McAuliffe Hires Ex-Fox 5 **Reporter as Press Secretary**

Allyson Wilson, who had been a freelance reporter for Fox 5 in Washington, has left her job and is now a traveling press secretary for Democratic gubernatorial candidate Terry McAuliffe. Wilson, 31, had been a regular face on Washington's Fox affiliate for nearly three years. She has also worked as a reporter and anchor in Memphis, Tenn.; Huntsville, Ala.; and Savannah, Ga. TIM CRAIG (THE WASHINGTON POST)

#### **BALTIMORE**

### More Than 4.660 Students **Have Not Passed State Tests**

More than 4,600 Maryland high school seniors have not yet passed the statewide tests they need to graduate. The 53,000 students in the class of 2009 are the first who must pass tests in algebra, biology, English and U.S. government to receive a diploma. State officials at a state school board meeting in Baltimore say 4,660 seniors haven't met the requirement yet. (AP)

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## Nonprofit Newspaper Bill Proposed

### Sen. Cardin introduces bill to allow papers to pick tax-exempt status

WASHINGTON | Struggling newspapers should be allowed to operate as nonprofits similar to public broadcasting stations, Sen. Benjamin Cardin, D-Md., proposed Tuesday.

Cardin introduced a bill that would allow newspapers to choose tax-exempt status. They would no longer be able to make political endorsements but could report on all issues including political campaigns. Advertising and subscription



Cardin

revenue would be tax-exempt, and contributions to support coverage could be tax deductible. Cardin said in

a statement that the bill is aimed at preserving local newspapers, not

large newspaper conglomerates. "We are losing our newspaper industry," said Cardin. "The economy has caused an immediate problem, but the business model for newspapers, based on circulation and advertising revenue, is broken, and that is a real tragedy for communities across the nation and for our democracy."

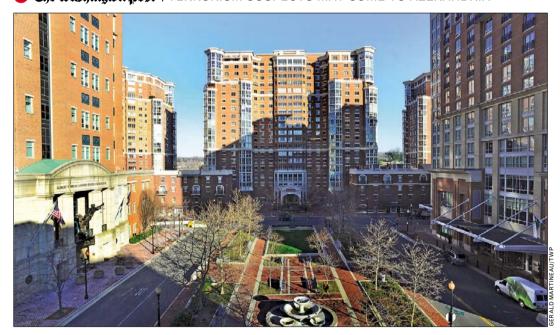
Cardin said his proposal may not be the best choice for some major newspapers but "should be an option for many newspapers that are struggling to stay afloat."

Speaking on the Senate floor, Cardin added, "As local papers are closing, we're losing a valuable tradition in America - critically important to our communities, critically important to our democracy."

The head of the newspaper industry's trade group called the bill a positive step.

John Sturm, president and chief executive officer of the Newspaper Association of America, said the proposal "recognizes changes in the law might be necessary to provide a boost to newspapers trying to weather this difficult economic period." LARRY MARGASAK (AP)

### 🕦 The Washington Dost | TERRORISM SUSPECTS MAY COME TO ALEXANDRIA



NOT WELCOME: An outcry has been growing over the prospect of terrorism suspects in the suburbs since news spread that the Obama administration may move detainees from Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to Alexandria to stand trial at the federal courthouse. From left to right stand the courthouse, condominiums and the Westin Hotel. \* Scary precedent: The 2006 trial of Sept. 11 conspirator Zacarias Moussaoui turned the neighborhood into a virtual encampment. | Today's Metro

### Md. Considers Changing State Song

ANNAPOLIS, MD. | Maryland lawmakers are thinking maybe it's time to find a way to scrub "Northern scum" - and a few other sensitive pre-Civil War phrases - from the official state song.

"Maryland, My Maryland," set to the traditional seasonal tune of "O, Tannenbaum," was written in 1861 and adopted as the state song in 1939. But now some lawmakers are pushing for a change to the warlike language in what was originally a poem that doubled as a call to arms.

Senate President Thomas V. Mike Miller wants a new commission to examine the song and consider changing some stanzas to reflect the state's diversity and remove offensive phrases.

"I love history, but there comes

a time when you have to adjust," Miller, a Democrat, told senators Tuesday.

The song begins with a hostile reference to then-President Abraham Lincoln, who brought troops through Baltimore en route to protect Washington: "The despot's heel is on thy shore, Maryland! His torch is at thy temple door, Maryland!" BRIAN WITTE (AP)

### Pr. George's **STD Rate Persists**

Area has 2nd-highest rate of diseases in Md., according to statistics

Prince George's County continues to have the second-highest rate of sexually transmitted diseases in the state of Maryland, according to statistics released Tuesday by county health officials. Only Baltimore City has a higher rate.

The county also has the second highest number of reported AIDS and HIV cases in the state, at 5,240, again trailing only Baltimore City, said County Health Secretary Donald Shell.

Shell said Prince George's proximity to the District has continued to affect the county's statistics. Last week, health officials in the District released a report that found that 3 percent of District residents have HIV or AIDS.

"There is no border line," Shell said. "Our proximity puts us at greater risk."

According to data provided to the County Council, the Prince George's ZIP codes with the highest rates of HIV or AIDS are the ones nearest the wards in the District with the highest prevalence of the disease. Overta Wiggins (the Wash-INGTON POST)

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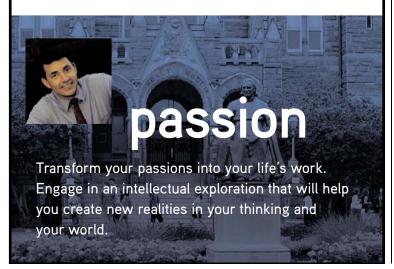
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### Money



From left, at table, Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner, Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke and Federal Reserve Bank of New York President and Chief Executive Officer William Dudley prepare to testify on the economy Tuesday on Capitol Hill.

### **Geithner Makes His Move**

Treasury secretary asks Congress for power to regulate companies

WASHINGTON | Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner asked Congress on Tuesday for broad new powers to regulate nonbank financial companies, like troubled insurer American International Group, whose collapse could jeopardize the economy.

"AIG highlights broad failures of our financial system," Geithner told the House Financial Services Committee. "We must ensure that our country never faces this situation again."

At the same time, Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke revealed that he had considered filing suit to keep AIG from paying millions in executive bonuses but that his legal advisers counseled him against it.

Much of Tuesday's discussion centered on ways to help the government better deal with future AIGlike companies whose failure could devastate the financial system and drag down the economy.

"As we have seen with AIG, distress at large, interconnected, non-depository financial institutions can pose systemic risks just as distress at banks can," Geithner said. "The administration proposes legislation to give the U.S. government the same basic set of tools for addressing financial distress at nonbanks

as it has in the bank context"  $\,$ 

Geithner joined Bernanke in calling for greater governmental authority over complicated and troubled financial companies — power they likened to the authority wielded over banks by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. That includes the power to seize control of institutions, take over their bad loans and other illiquid assets, and sell good ones to competitors.

Geithner made it clear that he believes the treasury secretary should be granted unprecedented power, after consultation with Federal Reserve Board officials, to take control of a major financial institution and run it. Jeannine aversa (AP)

### HEARSAY | BAILOUTS

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— GARY COHN, PRESIDENT AND CEO OF GOLD-MAN SACHS, ON RUMORS THE BANK HOPES TO RETURN A \$10 BILLION INVESTMENT FROM THE GOVERNMENT AS SOON AS NEXT MONTH.

### **GM Begins White-Collar Job Cuts**

DETROIT | Dreaded white-collar job cuts at General Motors Corp. started Tuesday as the wounded automaker began to deliver on promises to the government to shrink its work force so it can be profitable at lower sales levels.

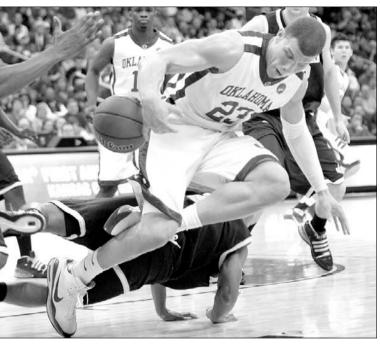
On Tuesday morning, GM told 160 people at its manufacturing engineering operations in Warren, Mich., that they would be laid off as of April 1, spokesman Tom Wilkinson said.

It's the beginning of 3,400 salaried layoffs in the U.S. and part of the 47,000 job cuts that GM wants to accomplish worldwide by the end of the year. Tuesday's cuts were mainly engineers, coming as GM's North American manufacturing footprint shrinks to match reduced sales and market share. (AP)



MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Two of the world's biggest soccer powers will be playing in Baltimore this summer. As part of a four-team, six-city tournament, AC Milan will play Chelsea at M&T Bank Stadium in Baltimore on July 24.

### **Sports**





Oklahoma's Blake Griffin got a scare from a foul against Morgan State, but the Sooners are still playing — as is another powerhouse, Tyler Hansbrough's North Carolina.

### Big Dance a Monster's Ball This Year

## The top seeds survive, advance in a tourney short on big upsets

NCAA MEN'S HOOPS | There's been only one severe tumble so far, and that was Blake Griffin's getting flipped onto his back. Other than that scary sight, make this NCAA tournament a monster's ball.

Defending champion Kansas. Big East bombers Louisville, Connecticut and Pittsburgh. The Tobacco Road twosome. Tyler Hansbrough and a bevy of All-American big men, Jim Boeheim and a bunch of coaches with rings.

There's mo room for the little guy at this party. Siena, Butler, Cleveland State? Not a George Mason among'em.

At No. 12, Arizona is the lowest seed left. Other than that, it's No. 5 Purdue.

A year after every No. 1 seed reached the Final Four, so much for parity in men's college basketball: For the first time, the top three seeds in every region advanced.

Hardly an upset, hardly anyone upset at the selection committee.

"I'm not an expert, but I thought this year, for some reason, it seemed the easiest to pick 64 teams," Vil-

### Siena, Butler, Cleveland State? Not a George Mason among 'em.

lanova coach Jay Wright said before Monday's practice. "I thought it was pretty clear this year more than most years. When you look at how it's ended up, I think they [have] proven to themselves they did a very good job."

So did any fan who played the

chalk in their pools. It worked for President Obama — he correctly picked 14 of the 16 teams still competing.

Griffin picked himself up off the floor and helped the Sooners hammer Morgan State. Oklahoma and its star now are surrounded by power teams from proven conferences.

"The teams that are all on top ... have done a good job being the teams they've been all year and haven't given up anything," Griffin said. BEN WALKER (AP)

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### In Brief

CYCLING

### Astana Manager: Armstrong Will Ride in Tour de France

Astana manager Johan Bruyneel is confident that Lance Armstrong's

broken collarbone will not prevent him from taking part in either the Giro d'Italia or the Tour de France. Bruyneel says he doesn't think "this changes anything



Armstrong

for the Tour de France." He says a broken collarbone in March doesn't mean Armstrong won't be ready for the Tour de France in July. Armstrong stayed in Bruyneel's house in Madrid on Monday night before flying out Tuesday to the United States for possible surgery on his collarbone. (AP)

### NFL

### **Cutler Trade Not Ruled Out**

Broncos coach Josh McDaniels says the team is committed to Jay Cutler as Denver's quarterback. Still, he says no options — including trades — are being ruled out. McDaniels spoke with the media for the first time Tuesday since the rift between the new Broncos coach and the Pro Bowl quarterback became public. He reiterated that Cutler is his quarterback and he'll do what he can to improve the relationship— which was strained when McDaniels failed to inform Cutler about trade talks in which the Broncos showed interest in Matt Cassel. (AP)





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PUSH THROUGH PAIN: North Carolina guard Ty Lawson said his injured toe is still achy after he returned to the lineup this weekend, but he will play against Gonzaga Friday.

### **Sports**

### **Arenas Nears His Return**

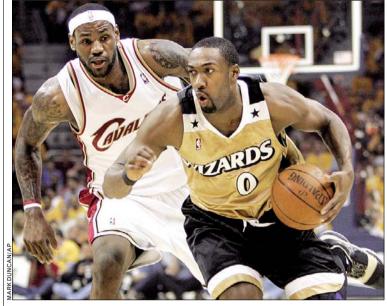
### If all goes according to plan, All-Star will play on Saturday night

WIZARDS | After watching Gilbert Arenas go through a full practice Tuesday at Verizon Center, Wizards interim coach Ed Tapscott laid out the team's plan to ease the three-time All-Star back into game action.

Arenas, who has not played this season and appeared in only 13 regular-season games last season, is expected to make his season debut Saturday night when the Wizards host the Detroit Pistons — as long as everything goes well during shootarounds and practices leading up to the game.

Tapscott ruled out any chance that the notoriously hard-to-predict Arenas will make a surprise return Wednesday night when the Wizards (16-56) host the Charlotte Bobcats. Tapscott also said Arenas will play only one game each in the team's final two back-to-back sets. "The plan was for him to play Saturday, and we're still working toward that end," Tapscott said.

Arenas, who has been practicing off and on since Feb. 16, walked past a swarm of media without speaking



Gilbert Arenas drives to the basket against LeBron James in the 2008 playoffs. A knee injury has kept the Wizards All-Star guard off the court for the entire season.

after practice and has not expanded on comments he made Monday morning when he laid out a plan that was remarkably similar to the one Tapscott detailed Tuesday.

Last season, Arenas surprised his coach, Eddie Jordan, by returning after a long absence as a reserve against Milwaukee on April 2. Arenas pulled off a similar move when he announced, through the media, that he was "shutting it down" for the remainder of the season right before the team prepared to face Cleveland in game 5 of a first-round playoff series last spring.

Arenas has looked sharp in practice, teammates and coaches said, and has reported no pain or discomfort in a left knee that has undergone three surgical procedures since April of 2007. "The knee feels fine; it's strong," Arenas said Monday. IVAN CARTER (THE WASHINGTON POST)

### 2009 NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S ICE HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP

### **WEST REGIONAL**

When healthy, there really isn't a team that can match up with No. 1 seed Denver. The problem is the Pioneers have never been completely whole this season. Even with the likely return of talented center Tyler Bozak (21 points in 17 games), the Pioneers still aren't full strength. Add to that that Denver was placed in the same region as No. 2 seed Minnesota-Duluth, the red-hot team that knocked the Pioneers out of the WCHA playoffs and then won the league tournament. Pick: Minnesota-Duluth



of 16: No. I Michigan vs. No. 4 Air Force, Friday, 3p.m.: No. 2Yale vs. No. 3 Vermont, Friday, 6:30 p.m. Elite 8: Saturday,

## 6:30 p.m.

### PLAYER TO WATCH

Senior Zane Kalemba, Princeton: This Hobey Baker finalist boasts a miniscule 1.74 goals-against average and currently sits second in the country with a .935 save percentage

### **EAST REGIONAL**

Despite being moved away from nearby Grand Rapids, Mich. the site of the Midwest Regional - Michigan might have the easiest

road of any No. 1 seed in getting back to the Frozen Four with fading Vermont (1-3 record, 18 goals against in last four games) and untested Air Force rounding out the region. No. 2 seed Yale might pose the biggest threat, since it will have the home ice advantage with games being held just 20 miles from campus in Bridgeport, Conn.



Round of 16: No. IDenverys, No. 4 Miami (Ohio), Friday, 5:30 p.m.; No. 2 Minn.-Duluth vs. No. 3 Princeton, Friday, 9 p.m. Elite 8: Saturday. 9 p.m.

### PLAYER TO WATCH

Pick: Michigan

Junior Mark Arcobello, Yale: This diminutive, 5-foot-9 (on a good day) forward has stormed on the scene centering Yale's powerful top line this season. He leads the team with 35 points and four game-winning goals, MARK GIANNOTTO

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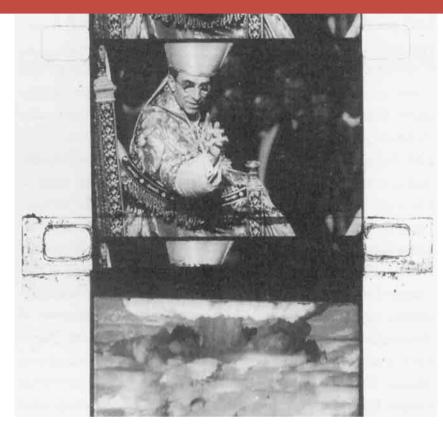


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### **Sports**



Dwyane Wade, the league's leading scorer (29.9 points) and MVP candidate, says he does not have the luxury of sitting our fourth quarters during a playoff race.

### Wade, Heat Make **Last-Minute Push**

### NBA MVP candidate takes no quarters off as season winds down

NBA | Miami's Erik Spoelstra has a simple plan for how he'll manage a stiff and sore Dwyane Wade as the Heat makes its playoff push.

"Play him," the first-year Heat coach said.

Wade is at the point in the season where the little aches and pains are becoming bigger aches and pains. But with 12 games left in a 22-day span starting Wednesday night in Indiana — a place where Wade has never won as a pro, losing all seven times he's taken the court there there's no time for a break.

"Once you start playing, your adrenaline gets going and everything's fine," said Wade, the league's leading scorer (29.9 points) and MVP candidate.

With the Southeast Division race essentially decided weeks ago Orlando can officially clinch on

"The most fascinating race for MVP in years has come ... and it's impossible to know which of the three will win."

Michael Wilbon on the NBA's MVP award race | Today's Sports



Wednesday — the Heat has been left to contend for the No. 4 playoff spot in the Eastern Conference. And in that race, there's little room for slippage.

It all means that Spoelstra is leaving nothing to chance. That's one of the reasons, even with Miami up by double digits in the fourth quarter against lowly Memphis on Monday night, he put Wade back into the game in the fourth quarter.

"I would have taken those minutes. I wanted some more rest." Wade said. "But I play with a young team. I don't have the luxury of sitting out fourth quarters. We've got to try to get wins." TIM REYNOLDS (AP)

#### TODAY'S TV LINEUP

WIZARDS (7 P.M. ON CSN) The Wizards | won't have Gilbert Arenas — what else is new? — when they face the Charlotte

NBA (8 P.M. AND 10:30 P.M. ON ESPN) The Boston Celtics and Orlando Magic play in what could be a playoff preview, followed by the Utah Jazz at the Phoenix Suns. NIT (7 P.M. AND 9 P.M. ON ESPN2) Notre Dame hosts Kentucky and St. Mary's (Calif.) is at San Diego State in the NIT quarterfinals.



UPGRADE?: Anthony Grant, who has led VCU to the NCAA tournament twice in three seasons, has received permission to speak to Alabama about its coaching vacancy.

### **Sports**

### **Turner Is the Man for Terps**

### Senior will open camp without competition at quarterback position

TERPS FOOTBALL | During the offseason, Maryland quarterback Chris Turner was given a homework assignment from the coaching staff that proved more painful that any task he received from his college professors.

Turner was asked by offensive coordinator James Franklin to write a report on every interception he threw, every incompletion and every sack. Given that he tossed 160 incompletions and 11 interceptions, and was sacked more than 20 times, that amounted to guite a bit of work.

"It's hard to watch," Turner said Tuesday, shortly after the team's first spring practice. "Watching it, it just hurts. You wish you could have made a play at that point. But it's good to see because you learn from your mistakes."



Now a senior, this will be the first time at Maryland that Turner won't be involved in a QB competition. Jordan Steffy used up his eligibility, and Josh Portis transferred.

Now a senior, this will be the first time at Maryland that Turner won't be involved in a quarterback competition. Jordan Steffy finally used up his eligibility, and Josh Portis transferred, so Turner stands alone atop the depth chart ahead of sophomore Jamarr Robinson, who has never played a game.

"There's been a cloud here since Chris has been here with the quarterback competition," Franklin said. "I think everybody needs competition, but I also think there's a confidence that comes with knowing, 'I'm the man." DAVID GINSBURG (AP)

### Hall-of-Fame Hitter Kell Dies at 86

BASEBALL | George Kell, a Hall of Fame third baseman who outdueled Ted Williams for the 1949 American League batting title and finished his career with a batting average of .306, died Tuesday morning at his home in Swifton, Ark. He was 86.

Kell played 15 years in the American League with Philadelphia, Detroit, Boston, Chicago and



George Kell outdueled Ted Williams to win the AL's batting average title in 1949.

Baltimore. He won the AL batting title in 1949 when he hit .34291 and Ted Williams hit .34276. Kell hit more than .300 nine times and was selected to play in 10 All-Star games. After his playing days, Kell was a Detroit Tigers broadcaster from 1959 to 1996.

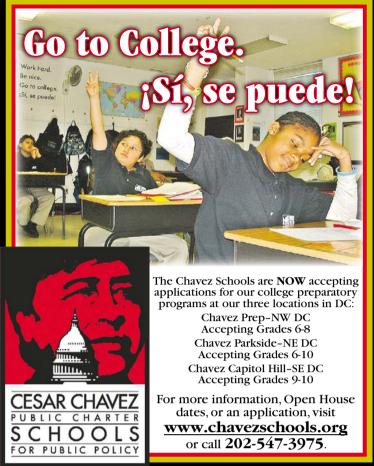
Kell grew up in Swifton and lived in the same house from his birth to when it burned down in 2001, and then rebuilt on the same land. (AP)



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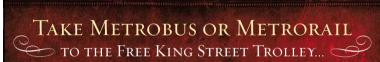


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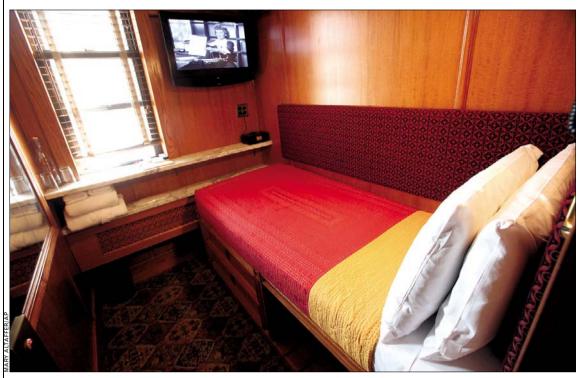
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## A Little Luxury

## Micro-sized hotel rooms gain interest as the economy sours

LODGINGS | A New York hotel with luxury sheets and state-of-the-art audio for less than \$100 a night? All you have to sacrifice is a bit of privacy and a little — well, a lot — of space.

Moving beyond budget accommodations to an idea that borrows from a ship's berth or a train's sleeper car, developers are gambling that in tough times, travelers looking for a little pampering at lower prices will embrace micro-hotels.

The concept of an entire hotel room the size of a suburban bath-

room has spread across Europe in recent years. And as the U.S. economy deteriorates, interest in the idea has grown, especially in high-priced markets such as New York City.

"It's certainly the right product for the times," said Tom Botts, a specialist in the hotel and travel industry at Hudson Crossing, a strategic advisory firm.

The trick, says Sean MacPherson, co-developer of the Jane hotel in New York, is to make its 150 tiny single rooms — about 7 feet wide by 8 feet long — feel "charming and special" rather than simply cramped.

Guests at the Jane — which is opening in stages between now and the end of the summer — stash suit-

cases and clothing in storage spaces above and below the narrow bed. A large mirror and a small window help stave off potential claustrophobia. The "micro-luxury" touches include 350-thread-count sheets, a 23-inch flat-screen LCD television, a DVD player, an iPod dock and free wireless Internet. So, the bathroom? You'll likely have to share two public bathrooms on each floor.

Botts is skeptical that microhotels would work in markets besides the very largest U.S. cities and questioned whether the model will be worth the investment for the biggest hotel chains. "It might be a lot of work for not a lot of payback," he said. KRISTEN A. LEE (AP)

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The 2009 Dodge Ram 1500 Laramie Crew comes with three cab configurations.

## American Mastery

### Dodge Ram does its job as solid domestic full-size pickup truck

AMERICAN | To quote an annoying, button-eyed orphan, the sun will come out tomorrow. The stirrings of an American rally are just underfoot, as the first birds of spring are chirping overhead.

I have been given a sign. I like the new Dodge Ram pickup.

When I drive around in this monster pickup, I am reminded that, though Germans fairly own the luxury sedan business and Italians still make unconquerable sports cars, Americans completely dominate the full-size truck market.

The 2009 Dodge Ram 1500 comes with a well-fitted interior stitched together from premium materials; touches of tasteful brightwork; smart, legible electronic readouts; beefier switches and knobs; sculpted seats; and cubbies and storage bins galore.

The rear-seat in-floor storage bin, one Dodge engineer said, is large enough to hold 10 12-ounce beverages with ice. In other words, beer. This seems like a highly inap-

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propriate metric, and I approve.

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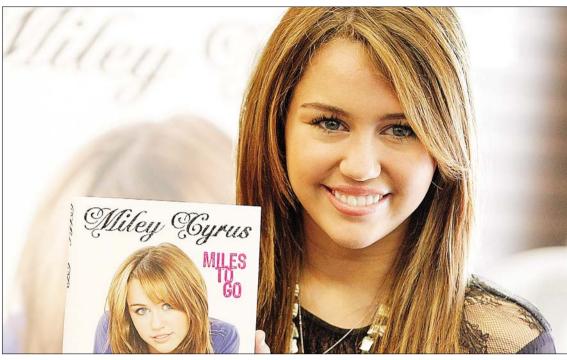
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### **Entertainment**

**CLOCK WATCHERS:** Kiefer Sutherland has confirmed he's on board for an eighth tour of duty as Jack Bauer on the popular Fox counterterrorism drama "24." The 42-year-old said "24," currently in its seventh season, will start shooting in May.





BOOK LEARNING: At 16, Miley Cyrus is legal in most states to perform her signature "Hoedown Throwdown" routine.

## A Montana Girl

### Real Disney princess Miley Cyrus readies for movie mayhem

TWEENS | Miley Cyrus is attempting to teach an adult the Hoedown Throwdown, the big dance number from "Hannah Montana: The Movie," and it's not going well. "We did it in one day!" she gasps, as I tell her how I've flailed through

the YouTube instructional video. "We just all kind of made it up as we went along." It doesn't help that Cyrus offers this consolation and advice over the phone while I'm trying to follow along on YouTube — and untangle myself from my phone cord.

Then it dawns on me that this is exactly how Cyrus' legion of preteen female fans is learning the dance: YouTube on screen, phone to ear, someone on phone offering encouragement amid occasional peals of laughter.

Such is Cyrus' everygirl power. For five years, the 16-year-old has had a direct dial into the cerebral fun cortex of the brains of millions of 10-year-old girls.

On April 10, the franchise about the schoolgirl by day, pop star at night will get a narrative take on the big screen and an accompanying soundtrack. In "Hannah Montana: The Movie," Cyrus' character from the show, Miley Stewart, gets a little too embroiled in some divalicious antics.

The two early standouts from the movie's soundtrack are "Hoedown Throwdown" and the current single "The Climb."

While "Hannah Montana" the TV show certainly features its fair share of music, the movie takes it one step further. In the film, the music is presented as an indelible part of the characters' lives — Rascal Flatts performs at a neighborhood party like it's an everyday occurrence.

Of course, the movie has some good old-fashioned will-she-or-won't-she drama to get fans into the theater. The trailer for "Hannah Montana: The Movie" flashes in giant protagonist-facing-aturning-point capital letters that Stewart has had "the best of both worlds ... now, she has to choose just one."

Not so fast, Cyrus says. This is Disney, after all, and — Bambi's mom notwithstanding — they're not in the habit of killing off major (and profitable) characters. Cyrus has eight more episodes of the third season of "Hannah Montana" yet to film.

"This movie was never meant to be the end of Hannah Montana," she says. "The thing is, a lot of people put where the show's future lays in my hands — and it's not up to me. It's up to Disney and whether they want more episodes, and we hope that they do."

ANN DONAHUE (BILLBOARD)



**LE FREAK, C'EST CHIC:** New for fall '09: ego on leather on denim on denim.

### Kanye's Designer Genes

## Rapper-singer West conceptualizes his show like a catwalk

TICKETS | Expect new theatrical ideas when Kanye West takes to the road this summer. West will launch a European tour featuring his latest album, "808s & Heartbreak," in July and expects the tour to hit the United States by fall.

The producer-turned-rapperturned-singer has consulted with many of the same people who helped inspire staging for his last set of shows, the "Glow in the Dark Tour." They include filmmaker Spike Jonze and the Jim Henson Company.

West was alone on a colorful, futuristic tilted stage for nearly the entire performance of his "Glow" tour last year. It came after his mother, Donda, died in November 2007 and he had broken up with his fiance.

West says he considers "808s" as much a fashion project as those \$400-plus Louis Vuitton sneakers he recently crafted.

"The subject matter was real life. The medium was melody," West said. "And the format was very similar to the way people would organize a fashion show. I deliver my music more as a designer than a producer now." RYAN PEARSON (AP)



This time around, "Grand Theft Auto" takes the higher ground — literally.

## In a Bad Part of Town

## 'Chinatown Wars' takes a handheld game out for a spin

CONSOLES | Shortly after the release of "GTA IV," Rockstar announced its intention to cram the sprawling Liberty City into a dinky DS cartridge. Most of us were skeptical, but darned if the studio hasn't pulled it off with "Grand Theft Auto: Chinatown Wars" (Rockstar, for the Nintendo DS, \$34.99): The view is

different — you see the city from the top down rather than from street level — but the mighty metropolis is back in all its sordid glory.

The protagonist of "Chinatown Wars" is Huang Lee, who has flown from China to avenge the death of his father, a Triad leader. Huang's mission requires getting close to the men who want to take over his dad's old job, so the early parts of the game involve running various errands: recruiting new members, killing rivals and, of course, steal-

ing cars

Beyond the main plot, there's a remarkable variety of things to do. You can race, of course, or you can pick up odd jobs or go on killing sprees.

The minigames — such as hotwiring cars or creating Molotov cocktails — make clever use of the DS touchscreen. Indeed, the whole of "Chinatown Wars" is a demonstration of how to make an exemplary handheld game out of a series designed for a larger screen. LOU KESTEN (AP)

### **Entertainment**

## The Key To Seeing In 3-D

### A wave of new films brings upgrades to theaters worldwide

MOVIES | The spread of new 3-D movie technology to theaters around the world has been slower than expected, but its prospects remain strong because it offers a better visual experience, DreamWorks



This blue blob will need special specs to see himself in three dimensions.

Animation SKG Inc. Chief Executive Jeffrey Katzenberg said.

Promoting the new DreamWorks 3-D animated movie "Monsters vs. Aliens," Katzenberg said that it takes about \$100,000 to upgrade traditional theaters with new digital projectors and 3-D equipment.

"It's harder to get financing right now," he said.

Katzenberg said there are about 2,000 theaters capable of 3-D in the U.S., about 200 in mainland China, several hundred in the United Kingdom and 100 in France.

He said he expects those numbers to "multiply several times" soon because the new technology is significantly better than the previous generation of 3-D, saying they compare like "a horse and buggy" and a "Ferrari."

In the meantime, "Monsters vs. Aliens," which opens on Friday, will be released worldwide in both 2-D and 3-D formats, with about 15 to 20 percent of theaters releasing the movie in 3-D. MIN LEE (AP)



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A STAR IS PROFILED: Anne Hathaway is set to star in upcoming film and theater productions of "Get Happy: The Life of Judy Garland." The dual projects are based on the 2000 Gerald Clarke-penned biography about the late actress.

## Run to BMA and Join the Circus

### A stunning Picasso is the inspiration for a big-top exhibition

MUSEUM | Curators at the Baltimore Museum of Art knew they were getting an early Pablo Picasso masterpiece, "The Acrobat Family," in a rare loan from the Goteborg Museum of Art in Sweden. Building a show around the picture turned out to be easy.

"We looked through our holdings," said Oliver Shell, associate curator of European paintings and sculpture, "and, lo and behold, the Baltimore Museum has a considerable amount of works inspired

Such was the offhand inspiration for "A Circus Family: Picasso to Leger," which invites visitors to step under the big top and explore artists' fascination with the circus from about 1880 to 1950.

The show includes 36 works by Picasso, most of them drawings and etchings from the museum's collection that were acquired by sisters Etta and Claribel Cone in the early 20th century. The Cone sisters later became the museum's most prominent benefactors.

"The Acrobat Family" (1905) was the first Picasso painting purchased by an American collector Leo Stein, the brother of Ger-



"The Acrobat Family" expresses the artist's pre-stardom sense of rootlessness

trude Stein.

Many of the etchings treated subjects similar to "The Acrobat Family," a strange and haunting picture of a gaunt harlequin sitting next to his wife and child.

Other major Picasso pictures in the show include "Two Acrobats With Dog," on loan from the Museum of Modern Art in New York; and "Head of Harlequin," from the Detroit Institute of Arts.

"A lot of it is slightly nostalgic. It's about being an outcast. It's about being shiftless, going from town to town, not being rooted. That's sort of autobiographical," said Shell, who noted that Picasso in 1905 was not yet a superstar in the art world.

"For him, these figures were timeless creators, living by their skill, their wits. He felt himself to be like that, too," Shell said. BEN NUCKOLS (AP)



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### LOEWS GEORGETOWN 14 3111 K Street, N.W.

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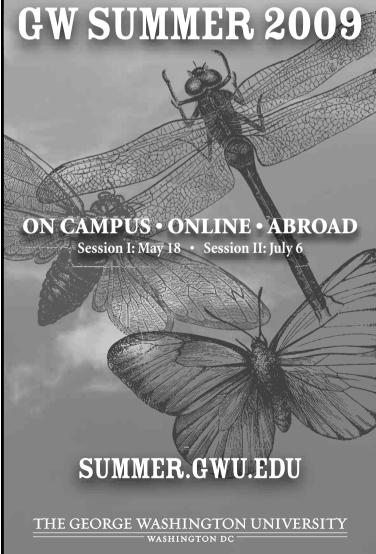
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### **Television**

**WITH BURGERS AND RIBBING, TOO:** TBS says comic George Lopez will start a new talk show in November. It will air Monday through Thursday at 11 p.m., and Lopez promises an outdoor street-party atmosphere.

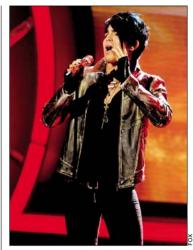


## A Top Note of Personality

## Adam Lambert isn't as plastic as he seems to be on 'Idol'

CONTEST | I can't tell whether this year's crop on "American Idol" (8 p.m., Fox) is more evenly matched or simply less exciting. When Alexis Grace got the boot, I was hardly surprised, but not necessarily convinced that she was the bottom of the compost pile. Anoop Desai seems like the nicest guy in the world and everyone's idea of a swell son-in-law, but I'm not convinced that he's pop-star material.

I've come full circle on Adam Lambert. At first, I found him a little too perfectly manicured to be real. But his audacious performance of "Ring of Fire" earned my respect. It takes a lot of nerve to put



**RING OF SOMETHING:** "Idol" contestant Adam Lambert is pitching to please.

a Middle Eastern spin on a country standard when contemporary country has become so safe.

Yes, his version of "Ring of Fire"

was weird, but it's a weird song, with lyrics about lust couched in religious imagery. And was Lambert's decision to evoke Led Zeppelin's "Kashmir" any quirkier than Johnny Cash's use of a mariachi band? This was the first "Idol" performance in a long time to make me sit up and think. And the fact that Simon Cowell dismissed it didn't hurt.

Speaking of Cowell, he appears to have crossed a thin line between critical and merely petulant. Paula Abdul seems to have sworn off the crazy talk and often makes good points in a manner that borders on consistent coherence.

Tonight's Motown-themed contest should give Lil Rounds a nice platform. Smokey Robinson and Ruben Studdard will perform on tomorrow night's results show. KEVIN MCDONQUIGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

#### ON TV TONIGHT

#### **COACH HAS GOTTA GO!**

Jeff Probst hosts **SURVIVOR** on a special night (8 p.m., CBS).

#### SMILE AND WAVE

Dr. Cox makes a kind gesture on **SCRUBS** (8 p.m., ABC).

#### HER ROYAL FIERCENESS

Tyra Banks hosts **AMERICA'S NEXT TOP MODEL** (8 p.m., CW).

#### **UP IN SMOKE**

An arson epidemic spreads on **CRIMINAL MINDS** (9 p.m., CBS).

### A NEW PATH

One survivor deviates from the plan on **LOST** (9 p.m., ABC). I knew all of Sawyer's reading would amount to something.

### **TOKEN CRIME**

A subway slaying doesn't fit any pattern on **CSI**: **NY** (10 p.m., CBS).

#### **BAD RECEPTION**

A news anchor's love life inspires murder on **LAW & ORDER** (10 p.m., NBC).

#### HIS ROYAL HIPNESS

Jay Leno hosts Halle Berry, Frank



**INSPECTOR GADGET:** As Mac Taylor, Gary Sinese needles on "CSI: NY."

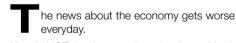
Caliendo and Prince on **THE TONIGHT SHOW** (11:35 p.m., NBC).

#### LOVE GURU MEETS HIS MATCH

Mike Myers, Anna Kournikova and All-American Rejects chat on LATE NIGHT WITH JIMMY FALLON (12:35 a.m., NBC). KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

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## Poorly Preserved Jams

### Dan Deacon's album 'Bromst' is formulated for the dance floor

TO HEAR Dan Deacon's music and read a longer review, visit Expressnightout.com.

MUSIC | "You gotta see 'em live!" Years ago, your friends might have said that about a jam band if you weren't exactly grooving to their records. These days, blogs are saying it about Baltimore electro-pop musician Dan Deacon, since his raucous live shows get self-conscious hipsters to dance, but his records have been known to leave some people cold.

Such was the buzz about his newest CD, "Bromst," when NPR offered listeners an exclusive preview. Tellingly, NPR's "Exclusive First Listen" page mentions that Deacon has "built his reputation on live shows."



HE'S A MIXER: Dan Deacon will make you dance, but he won't make you think.

And therein lies the problem with "Bromst." This time around, Deacon has emphasized the components that make his music work

on the dance floor, but left out the ingredients that made it fascinating for just plain-old listening. Here, Deacon pummels the listener with pounding rhythms, amped-up keyboards and indecipherable vocals all of which probably whip crowds into frenzies. What's missing is subtlety and variety.

Deacon's music, like that of Daft Punk, delivers a kind of electronic weirdness that can be genuinely exciting — and even be strangely addictive, like on his previous effort, "Spiderman of the Rings." Instead, "Bromst" offers mostly franticsounding compositions that get repetitive after awhile. It's forceful but also hard to listen to after a few minutes. If everything is exciting, then nothing is exciting.

All that said, "Bromst" will probably be the album that works best for Deacon when he's working a crowd. Tony sclafani

→ 9:30 Club, 815 V St. NW: with Future Islands, Teeth Mountain, May 17, 7 p.m., \$12; 800-955-5566; 930.com. (U St.-Cardozo)

### thescene



The Smithsonian Kite Festival lets you know that spring is finally, finally here.

#### THURSDAY

'Lesser Madonnas': Images of sexual and cultural identity, all wrapped up in leather, metal and who knows what else. Created by artist Melissa Ichiuii Irvine Contemporary, I4I2 I4th St. NW; through Saturday, free; 202-332-8767. (Dupont Circle)

Glasvegas: Think the Irish were loud last week? Try these Scottish rockers, who are out to prove they can play noisier music than anyone else from the British Isles. Black Cat, I8II I4th St. NW; 8 p.m., \$15; 202-667-7960. (U St.-Cardozo)

### FRIDAY

'Soul Rebel: An Intimate Portrait of Bob Marley': A collection of photographs from the 1970s depicting the everyday life of the reggae legend. Govinda Gallery, I227 34th St. NW; through Saturday, free: 202-333-II80.

Hirshhorn After Hours: Check out the latest exhibits - "Strange Bodies" and the Louise Bourgeois retrospective - and then drink, dance and mingle with other 20-somethings. Hirshhorn Museum, Independence Avenue and Seventh Street SW, 8 p.m., \$18; 202-633-I000. (Smithsonian)

### SATURDAY

Smithsonian Kite Festival: Learn to make a kite and watch masters compete at the Smithsonian's annual spring festival. The National Mall between the U.S. Capitol and the Lincoln Memorial; IO a.m.-4 p.m., free; 202-633-3030. (Smithsonian)

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### topstops



### Slick Road, **Smooth Jazz**

The jazz scene's best-kept secret has to be saxophonist Dee Lucas. The

but fast-growing career as a selftaught musician whose latest album, "Something to Ride 2," has given him

Atlanta native has enjoyed a short

a solid (and growing) fan base. You've heard saxophonists before — and probably at Blues Alley but this guy has a unique style that meanders all over the spec-

trum of jazz music. It's very mellow. but it has a distinctly funky beat that keeps it from ever being boring or obnoxious, not to mention the fact that Lucas is a master of his instrument. That always helps.

→ Blues Alley, 1073 Wisconsin Ave. NW; Wed., 8 p.m., \$25; 202-337-4141.



### **Broken, Mended**

The craftsmen of ancient Japan didn't just discard broken vases — they used the fractures as an opportunity. A small exhibit at the Freer Gallery takes 13 broken ceramic pieces and applies the Japanese art of mending pottery using golden resin. The repaired bowls and vases are undoubtedly more beautiful now than they were in their original, unbroken forms. If you're in a fragile mental state, this show will give you hope.

→ Freer Gallery of Art, Jefferson Drive and 12th Street NW; through April 5, free; 202-633-1000. (Smithsonian)



### **Das Band**

Two guys from Germany playing techno music? You could make millions of jokes, but techno-house duo

Walter Merziger and Arno

Kammermeier of Booka Shade are nothing to scoff at. Yes, they attract a strongly Euro crowd, but this European tag team offers head-thumping beats that will make everybody want to get up and dance. If you've been anyplace since 2005 where techno reigns supreme, you've likely heard their quirky track "Body Language." If not, then what are you waiting for? → 9:30 Club, 815 V St. NW; Wed., 7 p.m., \$20; 202-265-0930. (U St.-Cardozo)

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### Slang

### A definitive dictionary of American jargon is, at last, nearly finished

In 1962, English professor Frederic Cassidy presented a paper at a scholarly conference called, "The American Dialect Society Dictionary: How soon?"

About 50 years, it turns out.

The Dictionary of American Regional English founded by Cassidy at the University of Wisconsin-Madison is nearing completion of its final volume of text covering S to Z. A new federal grant will help the volume get published next year and allow the dictionary that linguists consider a national treasure to prepare to go online.

"It will be a huge milestone," said editor Joan Houston Hall.

For those who don't know it from Adam's off ox, the book chronicles words and phrases used in specific regions of the country. Maps show where a subway sandwich might be called a hero or grinder, or where a potluck might be called a pitch-in (Indiana) or a scramble (northern Illinois). It's how Americans do talk, not how they should talk.

The dictionary has been a success far beyond what Cassidy imagined, even though it was not completed before he died in 2000. His Madison tombstone reads, "On to Z!," referring to his goal of one day completing the dictionary.

"It's one of the great American scholarly activities, and people will be reading it for a century learning about the roots of the American language," said William Safire, who frequently cites the dictionary in his "On Language" column in the New York Times Magazine. "It shows the richness and diversity of our language."

Not only have linguists enjoyed the work as expected, but doctors

have used it to communicate with patients, and investigators have deployed it to hunt for criminals (including the Unabomber). Dialect coaches in Hollywood and on Broadway have used the dictionary's audio recordings of regional speakers to train actors.

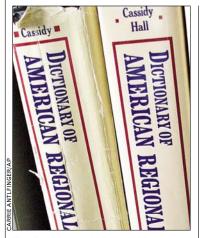
Author Tom Wolfe has called the dictionary "my favorite reading" and used it as he wrote "I am Charlotte Simmons."

In awarding the two-year, \$295,000 grant, National Science Foundation reviewers called the dictionary "a paragon of lexicography," "one of the most visible public faces of linguistics" and a "national treasure."



WORD UP: Joan Houston Hall, editor of the Dictionary of American Regional English, says the project is "a huge milestone."

# Spread Whe Spread Words



The Dictionary of American Regional English has taken about 50 years to write.

### REAL TALK

Here are a few examples from the Dictionary of American Regional English:

- → Pancakes might be called **FLANNEL CAKES** in parts of Appalachia.
- →A FLEA IN ONE'S EAR is a quiet warning in the Northeast.
- → A term for snoring is **CALLING HOGS** among black speakers in the South.

**BEAR CLAW** in the West.

→ Hopscotch might be POTSY in
 Manhattan or SKY BLUE in Chicago.
 →A sweet pastry is more likely called a

The dictionary, which has about a dozen workers and a \$750,000 annual budget, has relied on grants and donations since its inception. Its concept dates to 1889, when the American Dialect Society was it is a candidate.

Hall, editor since 2000, said about 75,000 entries will be included in five volumes of the text dictionary published by Harvard University Press.

People will be reading it for a century. ... [The regional dictionary] shows the richness and diversity of our language."

WILLIAM SAFIRE, NEW YORK TIMES COLUMNIST

formed. Americans wanted a regional dictionary to rival one being written at the time in England.

But the project did not start in earnest until 1965, when Cassidy dispatched workers to 1,000 carefully chosen U.S. communities to interview residents and make audio recordings of their speech.

Workers often slept in "word wagons" — vans emblazoned with the UW logo — and even were chased out of a few southern towns. The field work alone took five years and produced 2.5 million words and phrases.

Since then, linguists painstakingly researched the words using print materials and decided which should be included. If they can demonstrate a word is regional in terms of geography, used by a particular group of people or a folk language, Draft entries are finished through Z but workers are reviewing them to see whether they can be improved. During a recent visit to their offices at UW-Madison's English department, one was tracing the history of the word "stone toter" (a type of fish found in parts of the eastern U.S.).

Hall has long helped interpret regional speech. Beltway reporters turned to her when President Bill Clinton said in 1993 that an Air Force official who had criticized him "doesn't know me from Adam's off ox."

Hall said the phrase is used west of the Appalachians in place of the more popular "he doesn't know me from Adam." The "off ox" is a reference to the days when residents there used two oxen to plow fields.

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### Pagans & Pirates

Area pagan-metal fans—cricket, cricket—anyone? Bueller? Anyway, pagan-metal fans have two festivals to choose from, and Christopher Porter has a musical rundown of all the bands playing at these upcoming events — with a special focus on paganpirate metal. Arrgh! | сомінс ир

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### policenter Yesterday's Results as OF 5 P.M.

DO YOU THINK TEENS SHOULD BE ABLE TO BUY THE MORNING-AFTER PILL OVER THE COUNTER?

**YES** 61%

NO 39%



**"We should** probably move the drinking age down to around 16 or 17 now, too. Hell, let's have them vote, pay taxes, sit on juries and be draft-eligible. Adult decisions require adult consequences."

COMMENTER ANOTHER PERSON, RESPONDING TO TUESDAY'S POLL CENTER QUESTION. "DO YOU THINK TEENS SHOULD BE ABLE TO BUY THE MORNING-AFTER PILL OVER THE COUNTER?

As a mid-20-somethingyear-old woman, I do believe that some teens should be able to get the morning-after pill over the counter."

COMMENTER AUGIEGIRL, WHO ADDED, "BUT I THINK WE NEED TO STRESS THE DIF-FERENCE BETWEEN A 13-YEAR-OLD AND A 19-YEAR-OLD.



### Why, of course

I think teens should be able to buy the morning-after pill over the counter! Kids are going to have sex."

COMMENTER OUTINFORCE, WHO ADDED, "WE DON'T WANT OUR KIDS TO HAVE TO START RAISING KIDS BEFORE THEY THEMSELVES ARE OUT OF THEIR TEENS!"



"If you are too stupid to get insurance and then you either get sick or injured, you should be refused treat-

BUDDHASWIIWHISKERS.BLOGSPOT.COM IS ANGRY AFTER WATCHING A STORY ON CNN ABOUT OUNG PEOPLE WHO THINK THEY DON'T NEED HEALTH INSURANCE.



### "Had I known her husband was a giant among us who jousts at the windmills of parking enforcement, I would have bought her a beer.'

COMPLAINTHUB.COM HAD LUNCH WITH THE WIFE OF SEAN DOUGHERTY ABOVE, WHO WAS PROFILED IN THE WASHINGTON POST AFTER HE GOT AN APOLOGY FROM THE D.C. DMV FOR ILLEGAL TOWING HIS CAR



### "I love this song.

I have noticed that if it is a version recorded from a televised airing or live concert video it can be posted. A recording cannot? I am not sure how the laws work for things like this."

ORLOG DISCETWARE COM AN UNCLE KRACKER FAN IS NOT QUITE SURE AROUT THE COPYRIGHT REGILI ATIONS FOR CER-TAIN SONGS ON YOUTURE

### "PEOPLE OFTEN ASK me where

I get my sense of humor — if my parents are funny, what kind of household I grew up in. ... She sent me a check for \$31 because I am turning 31. Last year she sent me 30 roses ... you get the picture. My mom's hilarious."

ERINJACKSON.NET ALSO LIKES THE FACT THAT HER MOM LEFT IT UP TO HER DAD TO SEND THEIR DAUGHTER HIS OWN CARD

### **Discussions**

### The Nationals

Washington Nationals President STAN KASTEN was online Tuesday and took questions about the team, its management, its offseason moves and its expectations for this year.



### Is the organization going to conduct a full-scale search for a new GM?

The front office is being run extremely smoothly and very professionally, from my standpoint. Everyone knows their roles. Everyone has stepped up with great enthusiasm. And, the last few weeks have been especially productive. What I can say is that when we do announce a full-time general manager, everybody will be able to have confidence that that person is the very best person for the job.

### How close are you to signing Ryan Zimmerman to the long-term deal we fans want?

We continue to talk with Ryan and his agent, and I would say we have had good talks. Both sides want to get something done - I can't say whether that will happen by Opening Day - but, if it doesn't, the dialogue will continue.

### The Nats seem to be collecting spare catchers again this year. Do you expect Flores to be healthy for **Opening Day?**

I do. And, I expect him to be playing in a game in the next day or two. And I expect him to be our starting catcher. We do have a battle for the backup spot. Any of them in camp could handle the job. We'll take the best one and have the rest standing by in the minors for depth.

### In the wake of the issues in Latin America, can we expect to see a renewed vigor with and a fresh approach to the international talent market?

I can't describe how big a disappointment the recent revelations have been. And, let me assure you, we have been trying to wrestle with these problems privately for a lot longer than just the last few weeks. There is no bigger believer in the importance of attracting international talent than me (check my record in all three sports). So, yes, the setback is very disturbing to me.

### **TODAY ON DISCUSSIONS:**

White House Watch columnist Dan Froomkin takes questions about President Obama's Tuesday press conference at I p.m. washingtonpost.com/discussions.

#### Bizarro | Dan Piraro

### I can give you a facelift, but I can't guarantee the villagers won't form a mob and hunt you down. DR. VICTOR FRANKENSTEIN. COSMETIC SURGEON 3.25-09

### **Cornered** | Mike Baldwin



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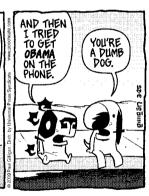
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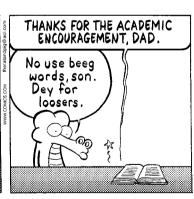




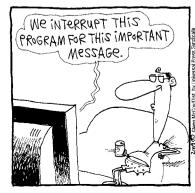
### Pearls Before Swine | Stephan Pastis







### The Duplex | Glenn McCoy







### Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You won't be able to get it all done alone, and it will be essential that you choose your teammates to suit the task at hand

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) There's nothing to be gained by trying to second-guess the competition. Play your own game as you usually do -- and play it well.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) A chance meeting is likely to give you the motivation you need to pick up the pace and put more on the line than usual. Success beckons.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Keep your heart and mind in balance throughout the day, and there's nothing you can't cope with, no matter who tries to step in your way.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You may be expecting a routine day, but something new is about to happen that changes things quite dramatically for a time.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Keep your

head in the game. Even the slightest distraction can affect your performance adversely. Now is the time to focus.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) What begins as a game may turn into something quite serious before the day is done. Are you really willing to make the necessary sacrifice?

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You'll be in a position to call the shots, but you may want to see just what those around you can do before you start giving orders. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Time is

on your side, but that doesn't mean that you should sit back and wait even longer before you make a strong start.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Seize the day. Your potential is high, and opportunities are many. Focus on doing something you've long dreamed of doing.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) A job left undone is a job that may never get done, because you will have so many other things to tend to. Get it done now.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Progress can be measured in very small increments: you'll know at every stage just what you've done and what remains to be done.



Martin Luther King Jr. and his wife, Coretta Scott King, lead the march in Alabama.

### Today in History

**1634** English colonists sent by Lord Baltimore arrive in present-day Maryland.

Martin Luther King Jr. leads 25,000 marchers to the state Capitol in Montgomery, Ala., to protest the denial of voting rights to blacks.

Congress passes the 2004 Congress passes the Unborn Victims of Violence Act, making it a separate offense to harm a fetus during violent federal crime. The Department of Defense says it mistakenly shipped electrical fuses for an intercontinental ballistic missile to Taiwan. (The military quickly recovered the four fuses after finding out about this.)

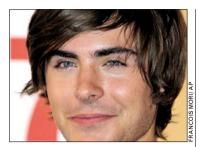
### **Corrections:**

Tuesday's Swengali said Alex Ovechkin has scored 50 goals three straight years. He has, in fact, scored at least 50 goals in three seasons of his four-season career. (He had 46 his second season.)

The deck for an article in Tuesday's Express ("Poet Plath's Son Hangs Himself") contained the wrong age for Nicholas Hughes. He died at age 47.



## **People**



Zac's holding out for a hero of a movie.

#### CASTING

### 'Six Degrees of Zac Efron' **Game Is Derailed Forever**

**ZAC EFRON** has dropped out of his role in a remake of "Footloose." Paramount Pictures says the "High School Musical" heartthrob is no longer attached to the upcoming film. The studio did not give a reason. (AP)

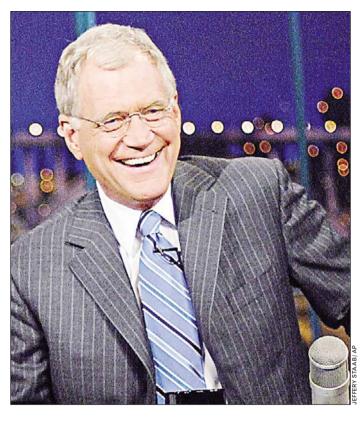
#### NEWLYWEDS

### Rich Man. Pretty Lady Like **Each Other Enough to Marry**

Supermodel KRISTY HINZE, 28, married Netscape founder Jim Clark. 63, in the Caribbean this weekend. They spent their wedding night aboard the groom's \$100 million yacht, the world's largest. (EXPRESS)

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### **RATINGS PLOY?**

### **No Obama Needed**

DAVID LETTERMAN said he and longtime girlfriend Regina Lasko had a bumpy trip to matrimony last week. During a taping Monday of CBS' "Late Show," Letterman said he and Lasko married March 19 at the Teton County Courthouse in Choteau, Mont., but only after their truck got stuck on a muddy road. Letterman and Lasko have a son, Harry, who was born in November 2003. (AP)

#### POPULARITY

### NASA's 'Space Port Report' Fails To Generate **Single Viewer**

NASA's online contest to name a room at the international space station went awry: Comedian STEPHEN COLBERT won. The name "Colbert" beat out NASA's four suggested options in the agency's effort to have the public help name No agency on Earth can withstand Colhert

the addition. The new room will be launched later this year. Colbert urged viewers of his Comedy Central show, "The Colbert

Report," to write in his name. And they complied, with 230,539 votes. That clobbered "Serenity" by more than 40,000 votes. (AP)

#### COURT

### **Waiting for Verdict, Haircut**

Deputy District Attorney Truc Do urged jurors Monday in the retrial of music producer PHIL SPECTOR to find him guilty of second-degree murder, not the lesser possibility of involuntary manslaughter. His first jury deadlocked 10-2 for conviction.



Defense Attorney, Don Weinberg is expected to say that the 40-yearold Clarkson, a down-on-herluck actress in

despair about her career, put the gun in her mouth. (AP)

#### FASHION

### **Brunette Seeks New Job** Since Garment Bag Isn't One

Reality TV personality LAUREN CON-RAD launched her eponymous clothing line in 2007 after her success on the popular MTV show "The Hills." Now, Conrad has pulled all plans to launch a spring/summer line, and has put her designs on hold for the immediate future. (AP)



Not a stitch to wear out to the clubs.

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### **5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area**

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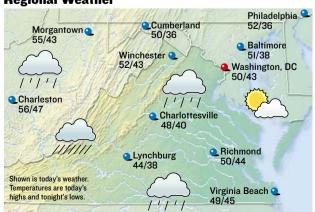
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Year to date	3.90
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Normal year to date	8.68

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### **Regional Forecast**

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#### Sun and Moon

Sunrise today 7:04 a.m
Sunset tonight 7:25 p.m
Moonrise today 6:17 a.m
Moonset today 6:43 p.m

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go	52/33/c	53/34/pc	Berlin	37/28/c	41/34/p			
	66/52/t	75/55/pc	Buenos Aires	82/66/pc	82/66/p			
r	46/24/c	34/I6/sn	Calgary	22/9/sn	35/19/			
ulu	80/69/s	81/68/s	Dublin	50/43/pc	52/39/s			
ngeles	78/54/s	71/52/s	Geneva	37/35/sn	42/4I/s			
	80/65/pc	80/70/s	Moscow	36/28/sn	36/21/s			
ork City	50/40/s	43/41/r	Rome	57/43/s	59/45/s			
lo	79/59/pc	83/62/s	Sydney	82/68/pc	82/63/r			
е	50/36/r	50/38/pc	Tokyo	54/4I/sh	52/39/r			

National Weather for Wednesday, March 25

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-



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44 They're given in

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57 Fighter plane

58 Place to wallow

November

### Yesterday's Solution

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### **SUDOKU** | MEDIUM

Fill in the boxes so each row, column and 3-by-3 square includes the digits I through 9. See www.sudoku.com for solution, tips and computer program.

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Find another Sudoku puzzle in the Comics section of the Post every Sunday and in the Style section Monday through Saturday.

### Yesterday's Solution

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3	7	2	8	1	6	4	9	5
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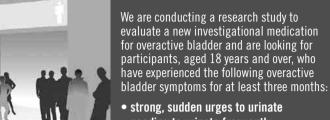
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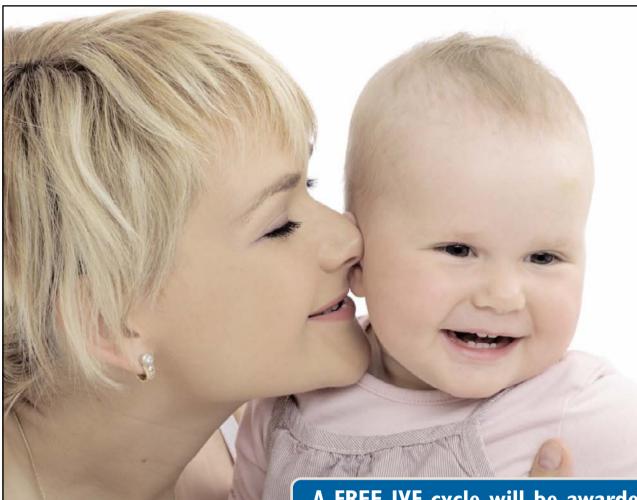
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